



WAUKESHA  
COUNTY TECHNICAL  
COLLEGE

## A.A.S. Human Services > B.S. Psychology

Psychology is a life science that focuses upon the physical and mental processes that underlie individual behavior. This definition provides a focus for the objectives of the psychology program at Carroll University. The program numbers among its liberal learning objectives those of enriching students' understanding of scientific methods and giving students a thorough knowledge of the subject matter central to their better comprehending people.

In addition to its emphasis upon liberal learning, the program strives to offer a major that provides an excellent foundation for those who wish to pursue graduate studies. The program takes great pride in its strong track record of launching psychology majors into academic and professional careers. Academic careers include teaching and research in biological, cognitive, or social psychology; professional careers include serving people in clinical, counseling, or industrial/organizational settings.

A minimum of 40 credits are required for the Psychology major. Six elective courses in Psychology or completion of an area grouping in clinical/counseling, industrial/organizational, research or pre-PT. Students interested in pre-PT or pre-OT, should consult with an admission counselor.

### **Psychology major CORE COURSES** with transfer equivalencies:

#### **Carroll University**

#### **Waukesha County Technical College**

PSY101 Introduction to Psychology	809-198 Introductory Psychology
PSY205 Statistics and Experimental Design	
PSY307 Research Methods in Experimental Design	
PSY403 Capstone	
Psychology Electives (Six)	

### **Psychology major ELECTIVES** with transfer equivalencies:

PSY201 Abnormal Psychology	809-159 Abnormal Psychology
PSY221 Life-Span Psychology	809-188 Developmental Psychology

### **Pioneer Core – General Education Requirements**

All students must fulfill the Carroll University Pioneer Core requirements including the Cross-Cultural and Distribution components to receive their degree.

### **Cross-Cultural Components** with transfer equivalencies:

CCS199 Cross Cultural Seminar	
ENG170 Writing Seminar	801-136 English Composition I
CCD Cross Cultural Development	
CCS300 Cross Cultural Experience	
CCS400 Global Perspectives Colloquium	

## Distribution Components

The Distribution Components includes four introductory level General Education 1 (G1) courses and one higher-level General Education 2 (GE2) course, outside of their major. A GE2 course must be from the same discipline as one of the GE1 courses previously taken (e.g., a GE1 English course and a GE2 English course) or in a pre-approved cognate field. Students will complete coursework in:

Fine Arts | Humanities | Philosophy/Ethics/Religion | Social Sciences | Natural Sciences

### Sample of WCTC courses that will fulfill the Distribution Components: (GE1, GE2)

Psychology majors are waived from the Social Science (S1, S2) areas.

	Fine Arts	Humanities	Social Sciences	Natural Sciences	Phil/Eth/Rel
Choose one GE1 from each category:	F1 201-114 203-111	H1	S1 WAIVED	N1 806-124 806-178	P1 520-107
Choose one GE2 course:	F2	H2	S2 WAIVED	N2	P2 809-166

## Graduation Requirements

- **Mathematical Literacy** Psychology majors complete the following:

CMP112 Computational Thinking I and	804-189 Introductory Statistics
PSY205 Statistics & Experimental Design	

- University Convocation Program – attendance at 2 events per year for full-time students.
- Students must earn a minimum of 128 credits, with the last 32 credits completed at Carroll.
- Students must earn a minimum 2.0 cumulative grade point average for acceptance, a minimum 2.0 Carroll University grade point average and a minimum 2.0 grade point average within their major to graduate.
- One-fourth of the major requirements must be completed at Carroll University.
- A total of 64 credits may transfer from a two-year institution.
- An unlimited number of credits are eligible for transfer consideration from four-year institutions.
- Students with the Associate of Applied Science degree in Human Services generally transfer with junior standing.

Due to changes in course content at Waukesha County Technical College and Carroll University, the equivalencies are subject to change. For more information, contact the Carroll University Office of Admission: 262.524.7220 or check the website at [www.carrollu.edu](http://www.carrollu.edu).